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Applicant(s): Shoichi OSADA et al.					
Invention: SEMICONDUCTOR ENCAPSULATING EPOXY RESIN COMPOSITION AND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE					
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

With respect to the Advisory Action of September 21, 2005, the following preliminary amendments and Remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application, in which a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) has been filed.

This reply includes:

Amended Claim Set; and

Remarks.